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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the subject application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the <u>Listing of Claims</u>, which begins on page 4 of this paper. Claims 1-22 are pending, with claims 1 and 2 being the only independent claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.